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Application Number	10/611,766
Filing Date	July 1, 2003
Art Unit	1712
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I believe the inventor(s) named below to be the original and first inventor(s) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

Hydraulic Fracturing Method

(Title of the Invention)

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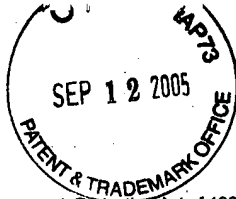
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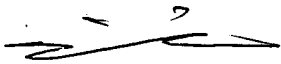
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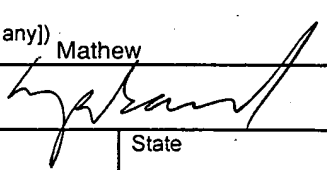
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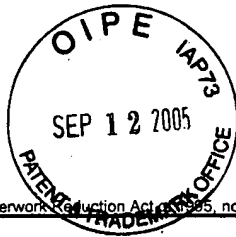
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